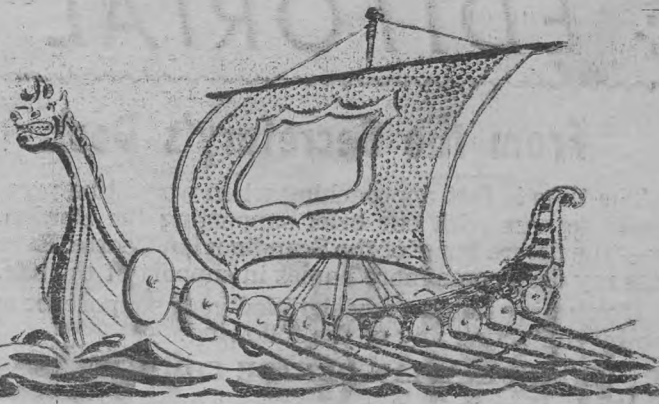


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FOUR PAGES

Vasa Lodge Skandia No. 549

Members of Vasa Lodge Skandia met for their March meeting on Saturday the 7th at I.O.O.F. Temple. Two out of town visitors, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Modin of Calmar, members of Buford Vasa Lodge were present.

Rigo Gustafson reported for the Children's Club that another toboggan slide was enjoyed in February. In regard to the folk dancing practice he reported a poor attendance and stressed the importance of parent cooperation in urging the children to turn out in order that this important activity should be continued in the children's cultural program.

The date for children's week at
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Buford Vasa Lodge No. 577

The February meeting of Buford Vasa Lodge No. 577 was held in the Willow Creek Community Centre on Thursday the 26 with a very good attendance of members and two visitors from Falun Lodge. Five new members were initiated.

The Vasa Work Shop which will be held at Pigeon Lake in May was discussed at length. After reports were heard from the different committees, and business completed, Brother Thorson of Falun Lodge was called on and during his discourse he presented Brother Eric Kvarnberg with a pin in recognition of his 25 years' membership in the lodge. Brother Thorson expressed confidence that he would be at hand to make the 50-year pin presentation to Brother Kvarnberg, also.

The meeting adjourned and a delicious lunch was served by the ladies.

Vasa Lodge Nordstjarnan No. 575

The last monthly meeting, held at the home of Gordon Krause, had a large attendance. It was decided to have an Easter party at Lone Ridge Hall, the brothers to do the catering.

Members who have been confined to hospital for the past month are: Amy Olson, Bernice Garbe, George Sjogren and Herber Nelson. We wish them all a speedy recovery.

Congratulations and best wishes to Shirley and Darril Wollin on the birth of a son, and Mona and Clifford Robbins also on the birth of a son.

Muriel Domzy is spending the winter with Mr. and Mrs. Dahlberg. Best wishes to Herbert and Edna Nelson of 9727-67 Avenue, Edmonton, on their 25th wedding anniversary, March 28.

The next meeting of the lodge will be held on April 4 at the home of Clifford Robbins.



The above picture, taken of the performance of the Danish Gymnastic Team, clearly indicates the high degree of training behind this team of 12 young ladies and 12 young men from Denmark. The agility, coordination and balance of these young people is so efficiently carried through the performance that it becomes highly entertaining and at the same time very educational. When the Danish Society "DANIA" was informed that the team would like to come to Edmonton, the Board of Directors immediately decided to sponsor a performance here. It was felt that we would further a good cause by doing so. However, it is a large undertaking both financially and otherwise, and here we are counting on you, our countrymen and Scandinavians in general. We all have Canadian friends—get them interested, tell them about it and keep at it till they buy a ticket. We can assure you neither you nor they will regret it. We must fill the auditorium on Wednesday, May 27th, so please give us a hand. Watch for further announcements regarding tickets.

DANIA

Two of our old timers are taking time out at Easter to fly to their native country, Denmark. Mr. Svend Hansen is going to Copenhagen to visit his parents who are at the ripe old age of 85 and 86 years. Mr. Poul Hansen will visit his mother, aged 85, who lives with her daughter and son-in-law outside Dronninglund in Jutland. Mr. Hansen's sister and brother-in-law will be celebrating their silver wedding anniversary on Easter Sunday. His mother visited Canada in 1950. Both Mr. Hansens came to Canada in 1927.

Bingo night was held on Feb. 25 and was not very well attended. How come? You yourself have asked for a bingo night and then you don't come to enjoy yourself. Those few who did attend had a good time and we will suggest that you try to come next time we call you for something like that. Fifteen good prizes went out to different people too numerous to mention here.

Bowling—Would you like to be on a bowling team for "Dania"?
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Icelandic Society

The Icelandic friends of Mrs. Lena Benedictson wish her happiness and the very best of health on the occasion of her eighty-third birthday, April 2. Mrs. Benedictson came to the Markerville area as a bride before the turn of the century and has enjoyed the privilege of being one of the early pioneers, observing the tremendous development of Alberta. Her husband was a merchant in partnership with the son of the famous poet, Shephan G. Stephansson, and for many years they served the community on the banks of the Medicine river, west of Red Deer and Innisfail, which had been settled by some thirty Icelandic families in 1889.

Mr. and Mrs. Alec. Mitchell, two sons, Bryce and Keith, and daughter, Gail, are motoring via Chicago to enjoy their Easter holiday with their eldest daughter, Thora, and her husband, Oscar Vaughn, in Tuscaloosa, Alabama. They plan on being away three weeks and will return by way of Winnipeg and Saskatoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Felix Frederickson, and their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Fulton Frederickson,

Sons Of Norway Solglyt Lodge

February Meeting—A birthday celebration and lively dancing highlighted the February meeting of the Sons of Norway. Mrs. M. MacDonald, a faithful worker of the lodge, was presented with a gift of jewellery and a huge birthday cake.

One of the important matters of business was the decision of the lodge to hold a New Years Eve party for members and friends. The facilities of the Corona Hotel have been engaged for that purpose.

March Meeting—Easter observances were responsible for an early meeting this month which was held March 13.

At this meeting Mr. M. Hyne accepted the position of lodge treasurer, thus completing the slate of officers.

Following lunch, members tested their skills at whist with honors going to Mrs. M. Amdam and Mr. A. Mjaatveit.

April Meeting—"Horseracing" will follow the business meeting on April 17. Come and place your bets.

Fourth Annual Norsk Kaffee Lag—Sunday, April 19, is the date to remember. On that day, from 3 p.m. to 5 p.m., at the Masonic Temple, ladies of the Sons of Norway will serve coffee, delicious open-face sandwiches and Scandinavian baking. A program of music will add a pleasant atmosphere to an enjoyable afternoon. An invitation is extended to members and their friends as well as anyone wishing to spend a pleasant Sunday afternoon out.

Carnival of Nations—Members of Sons of Norway have again decided to participate in the Carnival of Nations which will be held in the Masonic Temple May 11 and 12. Social director Mrs. R. Sivertsen has plans whereby a folk dance will be entered in the program.

Bowling By-Line—Peter Hansen's Midnight Suns hold first place in the bowling league and the Fjords are in second.

Mr. and Mrs. N. Naversteth are leaving by car on April 12 for a three week vacation to visit friends and relatives in Oregon.

Mrs. N. MacDonald will be among the passengers taking part in the special nine-day cruise to Alaska which will leave Vancouver 9 a.m. on May 14. She will attend the May 17th festivities at Peterburg (little Norway). Mrs. MacDonald plans to leave Edmonton on May 10 and is anxious to find a companion for this memorable trip.

Mr. N. Nilsen flew to Winnipeg recently on a business trip.

Mrs. H. Liland and three children have returned from an extended motoring holiday which took them on a circle tour via Chicago, New Orleans, Houston, Tex., Las Vegas and Phoenix, Ariz. While in New Orleans they enjoyed the colorful Mardi Gras celebrations staged every year at the approach of the Lenten season. On the evening of their return their grand-daughter, Miss Donna Poff, was crowned queen of the Highlands Community.
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Finnish Society

The program and dance held early in March was a great success, thanks to the hard work of the male choir. Besides the songs of the choir there were piano and accordion selections by Ula Vesalainen and Rita Nahkuri, and they also sang some Finnish songs with Sirkka and Irja Rastas. John Koi-vuneva read a poem, and took part in a skit with Mr. Hagman and Mr. Tervonen. After the program there were games and coffee, followed by dancing. During the evening a presentation of flowers was made to Mr. E. Luhtala, leader of the choir.

Mrs. Hulda Macky wishes to thank everyone who took part in her birthday celebration on March 1 at the Social Credit Hall where she received a lovely watch and flowers. Her special thanks go to the ladies who were hostesses for the afternoon, when some fifty guests were present.

At Augustana Lutheran Church on March 7, Miss Amja Tuominen became the bride of Mr. Veikko Leino. Pastor D. Sjoberg performed the ceremony.

The Drama Club of the Finnish Society will present a hilarious two-act play, "Nyt Meillakin on Miss," at McCauley Hall on April 3, commencing at 8 p.m. under the direction of Mr. T. Salomaa. This play will provide an evening of good entertainment which everyone should attend.

A general meeting of the Finnish Society will be held on April 8, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. V. Salo, 10515 - 133 St. commencing at 8 p.m. Important matters are on the agenda and all members are urged to attend. New members are welcome.

KEVATILTA

Kevatillan autuas kirkkaus
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Kuin pilvien loistoa pitkin liukuu
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hengittaa.
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en uupunut kesken en koskaan
ma epaillyt valtaa kirkkauden.
Olen kaunis nyt,
on solunut sieluni pohjaan
Hänen henkensa autuas hyvaily,
joka pilvet ja aallot loi.
s Saima Harmaja.

dren have returned to Norway. Mr. Liland expects to follow later this year.

Best wishes for improved health go to Mrs. Anton Olson, former member of Solglyt Lodge, who is convalescing in a Brooklyn hospital.

The Sons of Norway welcome Mr. and Mrs. O. Borgerson back into the lodge.

President K. Amdam expresses the hope that persons who enjoy playing musical instruments will join together to form an orchestra. Those interested please contact Mr. Amdam, phone HU 9-2404.

Please make this correction on your Sons of Norway calendar. Bro. H. Logan, Phone GE 9-0347.

EDITORIAL

From the Secretary's Desk

The time is fast approaching when we will be presenting the city fathers with our brief supporting the Borden Park Site — the future home of the Scandinavian Centre. Every day across my desk come more names in support of the site.

If you have not already signified your support, be sure to do so by contacting any of the following:

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If you wish to assist in any way or get further information phone your secretary, S. A. Sorensen at GA 4-8386 or GA 2-0611.

DANIA

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We think it would be a good idea to organize a bowling team this fall. If anyone is interested, please contact Erling Peterson, 9006 Jasper Avenue, or give him a phone call at GA 4-5807 for information. In the evening phone him at HU 9-1516.

TEA AND COFFEE PARTY

Keep the date Saturday, April 11 in mind, then remember to come to the Hudson's Bay Auditorium where the Scandinavian Centre ladies are sponsoring a Tea and Coffee Party from 1:30 p.m. to 5 p.m. Mrs. Vera Nielsen (Danish) is convening the event, assisted by Mrs. W. D. McMaster (Swedish), Mrs. Halvor Johnson (Norwegian),

Mrs. John Rama (Finnish) & Mrs. C. A. Smith (Icelandic). Mrs. Meyers will be in charge of a sale of home baking. Here you will find specialties from all Scandinavian countries. Come and bring your friends—everyone welcome.



ERNEST HERTZBERG Member of Lodge Skandia Retires After Many Years of Service

Ernest Hertzberg, 12605 - 69 St., retired recently from the staff of Swift Canadian Co. Ltd., where he was employed since November, 1912. In recent years he held the position of divisional superintendent. As a token of respect and affection, the 300 fellow employees presented Mr. Hertzberg with a 21" T.V. set for use in his summer home at Lake Wabamun. For the most part he plans to continue to reside in Edmonton. His many friends wish to convey their best wishes for his future happiness.

Vasa Lodge

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Pigeon Lake was set for July 5 to 11.

There will be a Mother's Day program on May 10, with Mrs. Don Johnson in charge.

Cultural leader, Mrs. Alma Samuelson reported that a Swedish film produced by comedian Edgar Bergen would be available for use by the lodge. It was resolved that she and the district cultural leader, Mrs. M. Eliasson, look into the matter and secure more information.

A needy family in the district was reported and the meeting decided that some assistance be given

by the lodge and the ladies' auxiliary.

The lodge library books which for a number of years have been looked after by Willard Modin will be moved to the I.O.O.F. storage room.

There will be a Vasa work shop held May 16, 17 and 18 at Skandia Inn, Pigeon Lake, for the purpose of instructing and training persons interested in the work of the lodge.

Eric Engvall reported for the District Convention committee that arrangements have been made for a banquet and dance to be held at the Corona Hotel for the entertainment of the visiting delegates and any members of the lodge who wish to participate. The admission per person will be \$2 for banquet and dance or \$1 for the dance only. The convention will be held July 3 and 4.

Magnus Pearson reported that during the recent trip when he and Mrs. Pearson travelled in California it was their pleasure to visit former members of Lodge Skandia, Mr. and Mrs. Valdimar Phil and Mr. and Mrs. Sanders who are partners in a Swedish Smorgasbord restaurant in Long Beach. It was the wish of these former members to send greetings to their friends in Lodge Skandia. Mr. and Mrs. Pearson also attended a meeting

of the Golden Valley Lodge in California, and members of that lodge wished to convey fraternal greetings to members of Lodge Skandia.

The next meeting will be held April 4 when initiation of new members will be conducted. Lunch will be served as usual and there will be a program and dancing.

A Swedish dancing practise was held Saturday evening, March 14, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sigurd Johnson, when there was a good attendance.

Mr. and Mrs. Mangus Pearson had as a recent visitor Mr. Louis Nelson of Seattle, Wash. Mr. Nelson has travelled in many parts of the world but was much impressed with the city of Edmonton and particularly the Jubilee Auditorium.

Congratulations go to Mr. and Mrs. Harold Lundgren of Kamloops, B.C. on the birth of a daughter, Kathryn Lisa Ann, on March 12. Weight, 7 lbs. 11 oz. Proud maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Lars Erickson.

Mr. Lennart Peterson spent a week in hospital recently when he underwent a throat operation.

The Canadian government renamed the 16 peaks surrounding Maligne lake in Jasper National park in Alberta the "Queen Elizabeth ranges."

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Shape mixture into balls about 1 inch in diameter. Roll lightly in remaining crumbs. Heat in skillet over low heat 3 tablespoons butter. Add the meat balls and brown on all sides. Shake pan frequently to brown evenly. Cover and cook about 15 minutes.

Remove meat balls from skillet after browning. Blend 2 tblspns. flour, ¼ tspn. salt, a few grains of pepper into contents of skillet. Heat until mixture bubbles. Stirring constantly add 1 cup cream & 1 cup quick meat broth. Return the meat balls to the skillet and cover. Simmer for 30 minutes. Serve the meat balls in the gravy.

NEW YORK SPECIAL (Cookies)

Place in top of double boiler: ½ cup butter ¼ cup sugar 3 tblspns. cocoa

Stir until smooth. Add:

1 large beaten egg 1 tsn. vanilla

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Useful Hints

To avoid the nuisance of getting paint on your hand and arm when you are painting a ceiling or other high places, punch a hole in a paper plate and fit the paint brush handle through it.

To keep frost from forming on windows in winter, rub the inside of the panes with a solution of an ounce of glycerine in a pint of rubbing alcohol.

Curry is made by blending at least eight different spices. The basic ones are tumeric, black pepper, whole ginger, cinnamon stick, garlic, coriander, caraway seed, onions and chillies.

Grating cheese causes a sticky grater. Try freezing the cheese and then grating.

"TAINT FUNNY"

"Some people are funny" mused a man in the bar. "I know a man who hadn't kissed his wife in ten years, then he went and shot a fellow who did".

Homeland Longings

In dreams I remember the outline Against the rim of the sea, Of forest of birch and spruce and pine

That sheltered that little old home of mine,

They return in my memory. In spring when the wild geese come winging

I long for my homeland again, To hear old familiar voices singing And bells in the old church steeple ringing.

To chime out a sweet old refrain. Once more to see those friendly faces

And feel the handclap of folks so dear;

To stroll down the trail to those well known places,

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Icelandic Society

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Club's Winter Carnival. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Poff. Congratulations are extended to her on winning this popularity distinction.

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Newcomb was baptized at a service in Genesee United Church (near Warburg Alta.), on Sunday, March 22. She was named Carol Sarah. Her parents entertained in her honor following the church service.

Mr. and Mrs. G. O. Gislason have taken up new residence in the Idlewyld district. They celebrated the occasion by entertaining the family at a turkey dinner when special Icelandic dishes were served by Mrs. Gislason.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Smith and

their three children, Douglas, Margaret and Catherine have returned from a three week vacation spent mainly in Phoenix, Arizona. Mrs. Smith is the former Gretta Marlatt, daughter of Mrs. J. T. Johanson.

Sympathy is extended to Mrs. O. V. Gislason on the death of her father, Mr. George Low, who passed away in Vancouver on March 4. Mrs. Gislason travelled via T.C.A. to attend the funeral.

Mrs. William Gislason is recuperating in the General Hospital following a serious illness. We wish her a speedy recovery.

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Inspect stored bulbs to see whether they are drying out or rotting. Burn decaying ones. Moisten very lightly the packing material surrounding any bulbs that are becoming withered.

Test old seeds to see whether they will germinate.

Prepare seed flats and sterilize both pots (or flats) and soil.

Sow indoors seeds of asters, begonias, Canterbury bells, dahlias, lobelia, petunias, snapdragons, verbenas, and also cabbage, celery and lettuce. Treat seeds.

Prune all fruit and shade trees,

and all shrubs that flower after midsummer.

Apply dormant oil sprays to all trees, shrubs and evergreens for scale-insect control. Wait until the temperature is above freezing all day.

Remember to water and cleanse house plants.

Paint garden furniture and replace worn coverings.

Penguins use their flattened wings literally to "fly" under water.

Some have been thought brave because they were afraid to run away. —Thomas Fuller.

"Atom Knife" Used In Brain Surgery

STOCKHOLM, January 20—(By airmail)—Proton rays were used in brain surgery at the Gustaf Werner Institute for Nuclear Chemistry of Upsala University just before Christmas, but nothing was made public until Jan. 18 when the operation, which was performed on a 55-year-old man, could be described as successful. It was the first operation of its kind. Experiments with the use of a proton ray as a surgical instrument were first made at the University of California in Berkeley, whose experts, however, are said to have followed another course than the one that led to the operation at Upsala. Leading members of the Swedish team are Professor Lars Leksell of Lund University, Dr. Borje Larsson, a nuclear scientist, of Upsala, Professor Bror Rexed, also of Upsala, Dr. Patrick Sourander, of Gothenburg University, and Dr. Bengt Andersson of the Veterinary College in Stockholm. A visiting English histologist, William Mair, has also taken part in the Swedish experiments, which received financial support from the Medical Research Council and the Wallenberg Foundation. Head of the Gustaf Werner Institute for Nuclear Chemistry is Professor The Svedberg, who won the Nobel Prize

in chemistry in 1926. The new method, according to the Swedish experts, is not likely to be generally used for many years. Dr. Borje Larsson will visit the University of California at Berkeley next fall as part of the continued research.

FROM A CALENDAR

If you have the "Blues", read 27th Psalm.

If your pocketbook is empty, read the 7th Psalm.

If people seem unkind, read the 15th chapter of John.

If you are discouraged about your work, read the 126th Psalm.

If you are all out of sorts, read the 12th chapter of Hebrews.

If you are losing confidence in men, read the 13th chapter of first Corinthians.

If you can't have your own way in everything, keep silent and read the 3rd chapter of James.

The average adult's stomach, when emptied and contracted, is not much larger than his index finger.

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